Sri Lanka, Germany, Qatar, Italy etc.

(b) State-wise information is not maintained in the Ministry, however, the total quantity of grapes exported during the last 3 years are given below:

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| 1991-92 | 11147.1 M.T. |
| 1992-93 | 10801.0 M.T. |
| 1993-94 | 15931.5 M.T. |

(c) the details of foreign exchange earned in terms of rupees are given below:

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|---|---|
| 1991-92 | 1862,2 Lacs |
| 1992-93 | 2178.8 Lacs |
| 1993-94 | 3392.7 Lacs |

(d) Average return to the farmers from exports are not maintained in the Ministry, however, the unit value realisation per ton of export during the last 3 years are given below:

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| 1991-92 | Rs. 16,700 |
| 1992-93 | Rs. 20,170 |
| 1993-94 | Rs. 21,280 |

(e) and (f) The Ministry has not worked out cost benifit ratio for the grapes exported and the grapes sold in the country.

**Observer for deep-sea fishing at Visakhapatnam**

2491. SHRI V. HANUMANTHA RAO: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government had posted an observer in Visakhapatnam in 1994-95 fishing season, to monitor the problems of the deep sea fishing sector;

(b) if so, the details of report; and

(c) what measures are being taken to revive the sick units?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI TARUN GOGOI): (a) No Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) A Technical Committee was constituted to look into the problems of the deep sea fishing industry. Inter-Ministerial action has been initiated to implement the recommendations made by the Technical Committee.

**Obstacles in implementing the Murari Committee Report**

2492. SHRI V. HANUMANTHA RAO: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) what are the details of obstacles being faced by Government in implementing the Murari Committee Report to assist the deep sea fishing sector; and

(b) whether there is any possibility of the Report being implemented by 1995-96 season?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI TARUN GOGOI): (a) and (b) Inter-Ministerial action has been initiated to implement the recommendations of the Technical Committee. It is, however, difficult to indicate the time frame within which the recommendations will be implemented.

**India's share in the World Horticulture Market**

2493. SHRI G.Y. KRISHNAN: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether, inspite of India being the second target producer of fruits and vegetables in the world, it lacks in terms of post-harvest infrastructure and quality processing technology, and its share in the world's horticulture market is a minisclue, one per cent hardly;

(b) if so, how it is proposed to utilise its enormous potential for fruit and vegetable processing in India, particularly in the context of the Indian food processing industry facing a classic 'penury-amidstplenty' situation; and